

Patent Application of

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Methods for Creating Ground Paths for ILS

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Related Applications

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Field of the Invention

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The present invention relates to electrical grounding circuitry for magnetic disk drives and more particularly to grounding schemes designed to protect against electrostatic discharge (ESD) and electrical overstress (EOS), and to reduce background noises in read/write transducers